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Dear Sir/Madam:

The above-referenced application was filed at the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on Thursday, January 17, 2002 (copy of hand-delivered postcard stamped received by the USPTO attached as Exhibit A). The return-receipt postcard returned to Applicants by the USPTO with the serial number affixed indicated a filing date of Tuesday, January 15, 2002 and failed to indicate the new serial number assigned to the application (see copy attached as Exhibit B).

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